

## THIS MAN HAS NEW

Plan for Obtaining Money From an Intended Victim.

New Yorker With Expensive

Habits, Which He Could Not Keep in Play Without Funds, Evolved a Scheme Which Land-ed Him After Desperate Struggle Within Law's Hands.

New York, Sept. 29.—In the arrest of a young man who calls himself Thomas H. Price, for a murderous assault upon a detective-sergeant, in which the latter was severely stabbed twice, it developed today that A. Z. Luebbers, an insurance broker, was assaulted, robbed and left unconscious in a launch on the Hudson river.

The assault and robbery of Mr. Luebbers was committed, according to a confession which the police claim has been made by Price, for the sole purpose of getting money which the latter had to have to continue to live in extravagance and fashion. Price, who is a man of athletic build, only 22, well dressed, with every trace of refinement and education, was desperate and threatened to end his life at the first opportunity, the police sergeant said.

According to the story told by the police, the assault and robbery of Mr. Luebbers was brought about by an advertisement in a New York newspaper, offering to sell a naphtha launch.

When a well-mannered young man called on the insurance broker at his home and reported that he wanted to

buy a naphtha launch, the broker went with him to show him that it was in working order. The two boarded the boat and set out for a run about the river. While he talked the young man held a large iron wrench in his hand. Suddenly, according to the story told by the police, he leaned forward and dealt the broker a hard blow on the head, felling him, unconscious, to the bottom of the boat. With the boat in the middle of the stream, it is alleged that Price stripped Mr. Luebbers of his clothes and his jewelry. He even changed clothing with the unconscious man, and then steered the launch to the shore, alighted and pushed the boat into the stream.

Mr. Luebbers was rescued and towed to shore, and the story of his assault and robbery was told to the police. When Price was arrested today, the prisoner made a violent attack upon his captor and other of-ficers were called before he was sub-dued and taken to the police station. In the struggle, Price used a lead pencil as a weapon, and inflicted two severe stab wounds in the detective's neck.

## FULLY ONE THIRD WERE IN MOURNING.

Survivors of General Slocum Fire Disaster, and Those Bereaved, Enter Protest Against De-cision of Steamboat Inspectors.

New York, Sept. 29.—Survivors of the General Slocum excursion steamer fire, and those who were bereaved by the horror of last June, to the number of 300, have held a meeting to protest against the decision rendered by the local steamboat inspectors in their recent investigation. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Organization of General Slocum Survivors.

Resolutions were adopted denounc-ing the report of inspectors James A. Dumont and Thomas H. Barrett, and calling for the punishment of those responsible. The organization repre-

sents 300 survivors and the families of 500 dead. The report was de-nounced as unjust and unfair to the stricken families, and resolutions were adopted declaring that the whole responsibility rests with the board of directors and officers of the steam-boat company. A copy of the resolu-tions will be sent to President Roose-velt.

Fully one-third of those at the meet-ing were women who without excep-tion were in mourning. Many wept, and the men were hardly less affected as the story of the disaster was told over again by those who had passed through it.

## CHANGE IN ORATORS FOR NEXT SATURDAY.

Governor Campbell Cannot Be Present. Dis-tinguished Pennsylvanian Will Be on Pro-gram. Bryan in This District Later.

Columbus, O., Sept. 29.—Hon. Dun-can McGregor, of Pittsburg, one of Pennsylvania's leading democrats, will speak at the state opening at Lima. He is accounted a good orator and will speak with ex-Senator Towne and Mr. Sandies, the nominee for sec-retary of state.

Ex-Governor James Campbell has wired Chairman Garber that he can-not be present at the opening meeting,

but will give a portion of his time to Ohio later.

Hon. David B. Hill has notified the democratic state committee that he would give Ohio one day of his time during the campaign. He will be here October 20th, and Tiffin is making a hard fight to secure this meeting.

Hon. W. J. Bryan will spend three or four days in Ohio during the cam-paign, speaking in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 13th, 15th and 17th districts.

## SCHAUMANN IS REPORTED

To Have Been Implicated With His Father in the Assassination of Bobrikoff.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 29.—1:50 p. m.—It is understood in authoritative quarters here that strong evidence has been discovered that former Sena-tor Schaumann, father of Eugene Walderman Schaumann, the assassin of Governor General Bobrikoff, has been found to have been implicated in

the crime. If adjudged guilty he will be subject to imprisonment for two to six years.

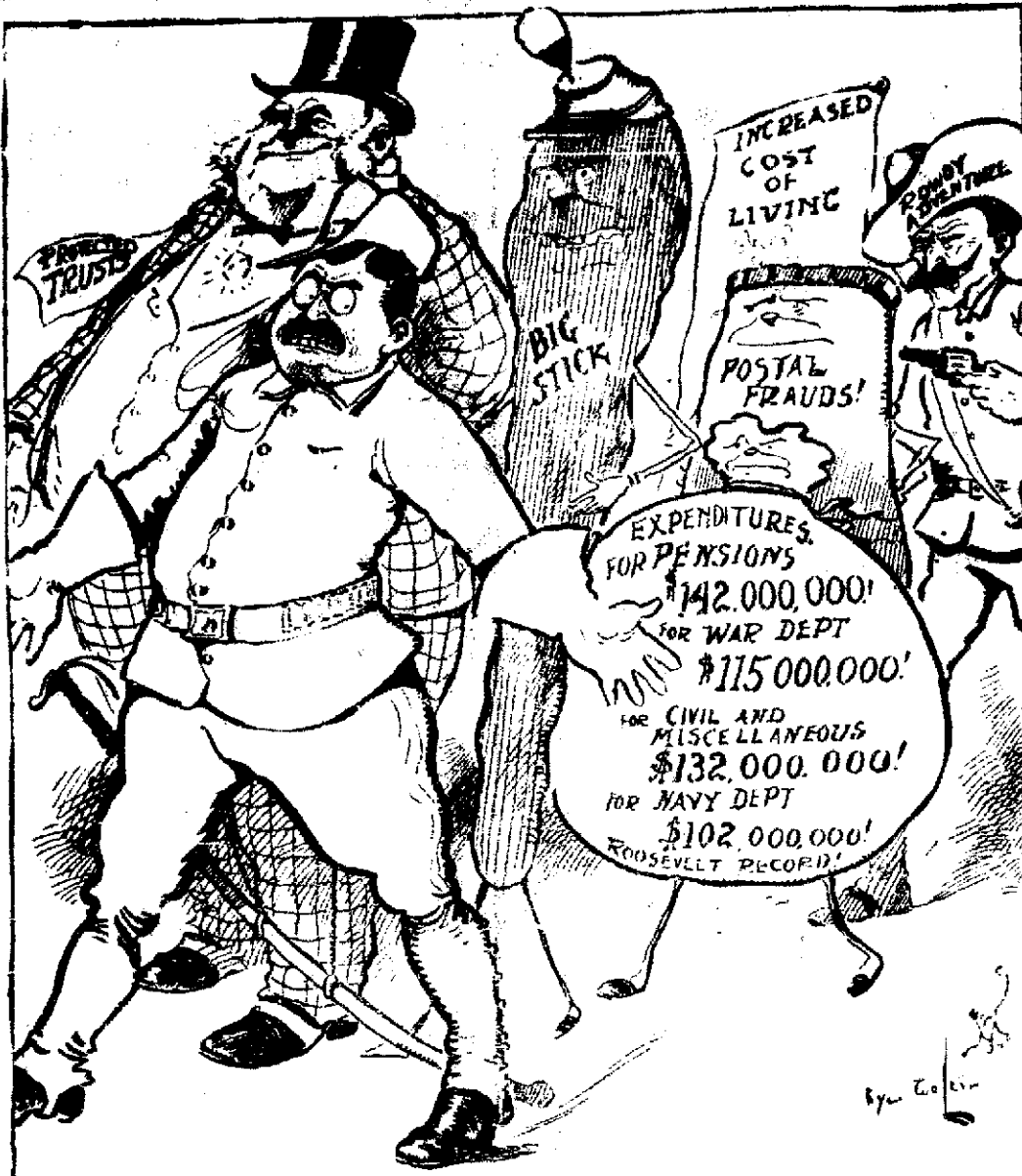
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"We intend to carry on the Government the same way as in the past."—Roosevelt's letter of acceptance.

## SIR CHARLES IS EXPLAINING.

Tells Stockholders of Grand Trunk Why Business Was Bad This Year.

London, Sept. 29.—Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, presiding at the semi-annual meeting of the share holders of the Grand Trunk railway here to-day, said the abnormal working ex-penses of the first part of the year were due to the severity of the weath-er and the depression which existed in the United States as well as in Canada. "The prospects," he said, "however, were bright, as a good corn harvest in the United States, and a heavy wheat harvest in Canada prom-ised a period of great commercial ac-tivity in those countries."

## CONTRARY TO ALL REPORTS

Emperor William's Health Is Good and He Speaks in Clear Voice.

Berlin, Sept. 29.—Contrary to the reports circulated in the United States by a news agency yesterday Emperor William is described by members of his suite as being in perfect health and as speaking in a clear and natural voice. He enjoyed his recent trip to the Mediterranean last spring and it is possible he may go there again next year although no determination to do so has been expressed. Some of the members of the crew of the imperial yacht which is being over-hauled at Kiel, surmised that she might be preparing for another voyage, and upon this supposition was based the assertion that the emper-ior was again suffering from his throat, which report recurred regularly at in-tervals of three or four weeks.

## JOHN POUND, PAST MASTER

Of a Score of Things, Was Chosen as Lord Mayor of London, England.

London, Sept. 29.—Alderman John Pound, chairman of the London Gen-eral Omnibus Company Limited, was today chosen lord mayor of London for the ensuing year. He was borne in Leaden Hall street, this city, in 1829.

Alderman Pound will succeed Sena-tor James Thomson Ritchie as lord mayor. Mr. Pound is head of the firm of John Pound & Company and was elected alderman of Aldgate ward in 1892. He is past master of the Leatherellers' Company, past master of the Fanmaker's Company and past master of the Fruitree's Company.

## GROUP Of Bankers Will Look Into

The Affairs of The Defunct Aultman Company.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 29.—At a large-ly attended meeting of the creditors of the Aultman company of Canton, held in Cleveland, a group of bankers was chosen to act as a provisional committee for the creditors in co-operation with Receiver J. J. Sullivan.

In gathering the tangled affairs of the company into shape and deciding what steps were best to be taken to protect the interests of the creditors.

Creditors were present from many portions of the country and it was deemed best to have this committee make a special investigation and be in a position to suggest such steps as may be found necessary. The com-mittee is composed of bankers who represent the creditors who are divid-ed into three classes. One is the banks, the other the material men and the other eleven the holders of bonds issued when the company was reorganized ten years ago.

The committee of banks is com-posed of General James E. Root, pres-ident of the Geo. Worthington Co., of Cleveland; W. F. Rust of the Ger-man National Bank, of Boston; L. Poplinger, of Wooster National Bank, of Wooster; J. Murphy of the Bank of Cleveland; L. A. Loesch, First Na-tional Bank, Canton; R. Van Vechten, Cedar Rapids National Bank, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; W. R. Ricks, Merchants National Bank, Massillon and E. G. Tiltonson, vice president of the Cleve-land Trust Company, Cleveland.

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## JUDGE Donnelly in Serious Condi-tion at His Home.

Attack of Typhoid Fever Is Said to Have Weakened His Mind.

Ottawa, O., Sept. 29.—Hon. Michael Donnelly, common pleas judge in the counties of Fulton, Henry and Putnam, of Napoleon, is in a serious con-dition at his home, having recently been removed from St. Vincent's hos-pital in Toledo, where he has been suffering a severe attack of typhoid fever. The fever has left his mind in a weakened condition and he is confined to his room, unable to see any one. At times, it is claimed, he does not even recognize the members of his own family. For many weeks prior to entering the hospital he was indisposed and the body has given way under the severe strain to which he was subjected. Judge Donnelly is a prominent figure in democratic poli-tics in northwestern Ohio and is known throughout the state.

Judge Donnelly was to occupy the bench at the September term of com-mon pleas court in Putnam county, but owing to his illness, court mat-ters have lapsed. Judge Mathers, of Sidney, impelled the grand jury and will hear their report. Hosts of friends and political admirers of Judge Donnelly will learn with regret of his condition.

## ALDERMEN ARE INDICTED.

Four of Buffalo's City Officials Must Answer to the Charge of Grafting.

Buffalo, Sept. 29.—As the result of District Attorney Coatsworth's invest-igation of charges of alleged "graft-ing" on the part of city officials, three present aldermen and four former al-dermen have been indicted. They are: J. Thomas Harp, Henry Moest and Orrin F. Pierno. Aldermen and Edward C. Reiser, Louis G. Roedel, Henry G. Schneider and John G. Busch, former aldermen. All the in-dicted men were arraigned in court today and pleaded not guilty. Bail was fixed at \$1,500 each and was fur-nished by all.

## NOLLIED INDICTMENTS.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 29.—The police today nollied the cases of three sus-pects arrested in connection with the murder of Inez Smith, whose decom-posed body was found about two weeks ago in a trunk under a dock on the lake front. The prisoners released were George Smith, and Samuel Saunders. The police have no hope of solving the mystery until Smith the murdered woman's husband is captured.

## BOILERMAKERS ON A STRIKE.

Meadville, Pa., Sept. 29.—The boiler-makers employed in the shops here went on a strike this morning. The men demanded the reinstatement of three members of a committee who had been discharged, and on the reply refusing to grant the demand, a strike was ordered. Quite a large number of men are idle.

## INCIDENT IS CLOSED.

Injury Done to Third Secretary of His Britannic Majesty

Has Been Fully Reparated.

Massachusetts Governor Suggests That Atten-tion of British Government Be Called to Fact That One of Its Subjects Did Violate an American Law.

Boston, Sept. 29.—After allowing time for the communication in the Phelps-Gurney case to reach Wash-ington, Governor Bates today made public various letters bearing on the subject. The governor informed the state department that the judgment against Third Secretary Gurney of the British embassy has been vacated and the fines imposed remitted. He says that Judge Phelps had expressed regret to the secretary by letter, a copy of which he forwards, together with a statement by Judge Phelps. Governor Bates suggests that the attention of the British ambassador be called to the breach of laws of Massachusetts, under the belief that the ambassador will take such action as the case may demand.

The governor also expresses regret that want of knowledge of the law has resulted in an error of judicial authority, and expresses the hope that the statement of regret by Judge Phelps may be recognized as a con-clusive disavowal of any discourtesy toward Mr. Gurney.

The letter to the state department follows:

Executive Department, Boston, Sept. 28, 1904. Hon. Alvey Adee, Acting Secretary of State, Washington, D. C.

Sir—Your telegram of September 26th was received in my absence and replied to by the lieutenant-governor, acting governor.

In the result of an investigation made by him I find that Mr. Gurney, the third secretary of the British em-bassy, was found guilty by Judge Phelps, justice of the police court of Lee, in the county of Berkshire, in this commonwealth, upon a charge of violation of the law of this state relative to the running of automobiles on the public highways.

The statement of Judge Phelps with relation to the proceedings in

the case I enclose herewith. I suggest that the attention of the ambassador of his Britannic majesty be invited to the breach of the laws of this commonwealth disclosed in the statement of Judge Phelps accom-panying this letter, believing that, if his attention is called to it he will take such action as to make certain that immunity from prosecution in our courts shall not permit the safety of our citizens to be endangered, or our laws to be violated, because through international comity law, jurisdiction of our own tribunals is withheld. Respectfully,

JOHN L. BATES.

The letter of Judge Phelps to Third Secretary Gurney follows:

Lee, Mass., Sept. 28, 1904.

Hon. Hugh Gurney, Third Secretary of His Britannic Majesty's Embassy, Lenox, Mass.

Sir—As justice of the Lee police court, I find occasion to express my profound regret that, through a mis-apprehension of the law, I assumed that the court had jurisdiction over the person of a member of the em-bassy of the British government. Having become apprised of this error and seeking to make all possible reparation therefor, the court has vacat-ed and annulled all proceedings taken in the matter of the complaint against yourself and the erroneous judgement entered thereon.

I beg further to express my pro-found personal regret that I should have been, without intentional error, the cause of your own personal ex-amination or annoyance, or that anything should have occurred that seemed to be, though not so in fact, a want of respect for the rights of a representa-tive of the government of his Britan-ic majesty.

Respectfully,  
HENRY PHELPS,  
Justice of the Police Court.

## WILL MAKE CLEAN SWEEP OF MINISTRY.

All Old Regime of VonPleheve Will Be Removed by Prince Peter, and Moderate Men Appointed Successors.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 29.—1:48 p. m.

—Prince Peter Sviatopolk-Mieleke assumed active direction of the ministry of the interior today. It is already apparent that there will be almost a clean sweep of the old Von Pleheve regime. A number of the old lieuten-ants of the former ministry have re-signed. Both the chief of the gen-darmes and the secretary of state for Finland, which powerful offices the late Von Pheve accumulated will be di-vided from the ministry of the in-terior, the new minister having firmly refused to have any connection with

the police. M. Stischinsky, who, as under state and director of the land department acted in an advisory ca-pacity in dealing with the Zemstvo will, it is understood, be to be ap-pointed secretary of state for Finland. He is distinctly a man of moderate views. General Ridzevsky, it is also believed, will be chosen chief of the gendar-merie which will become an independ-ent department.

Ridzevsky has just resigned the important position of chief secretary of the minister of the imperial house-hold in order to be able to accept the position of chief of the gendarmie.

## DAY'S WRECKS AND SEVERAL FATALITIES.

Scranton, Pa., Sept. 29.—Fireman James Flannigan, of Middletown, New York, was fatally crushed and Eng-lishman E. D. Vickers, of Carbondale, Pa., seriously injured in a head on col-lision of coal trains today near Pres-ton, Pa., on a Scranton division of the Ontario & Western.

Both engines and forty cars were wrecked. The other trainmen escaped by jumping. Misunderstanding of or-ders is said to have caused the wreck.

Charleston, E. C., Sept. 29.—The At-lantic Coast Lines Florida Limited to-day collided with a local passenger train out of Charleston five miles from the city. A fireman was killed and several people were injured.

Braintree, Sept. 29.—A passenger train on the Plymouth division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad was wrecked today on an em-bankment, about a mile west of South Braintree. Engineer Wm. Adams was killed and Fireman Edward Cook had both legs taken off. The passengers were badly shaken up, but none of them was seriously hurt.







## THREE

## South Side People Wedded

## Last Evening.

Robert Kerr and Mary J. Henige,

F. A. Curtis and Myrtle Anderson, and One is a Secret.

Funeral of Mrs. Margaret Guider Held This Morning. Other Items Given in Brief Way.

Last evening another south Lima prominent and sturdy young man entered the rank of bachelors. The happy man to this union is Robert Kerr, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kerr, of south Main street, and the bride is Miss Mary J. Henige, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Henige, of north Main street. The ceremony took place at St. Rose church at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rev. Father Manning officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerr will live at 825 St. Johns avenue, and the groom will continue to hand out meat at the Spencer & Geach market.

## Performed Two Weddings.

It seems to have been a lucky turn in the wheel of fortune that caused Rev. Sims to move his family to south Central avenue, for although hardly settled in his new home, he was a very busy man last evening, in a matrimonial way, and was asked to perform two weddings.

The first couple to appear were F. A. Curtis, a moulder, who lives in north Lima, and Miss Myrtle Anderson.

The second couple came slipping along on their tip toes, as though afraid of disturbing the sleepers in that neighborhood; whispered their desire to become husband and wife, then modestly asked the reverend to keep the matter a secret, as they did not want it known. Whether they were ashamed of one another, or only afraid of the old folks is to be guessed at.

## A Lucky Unlucky Lady.

Last Thursday, Miss Nannie Metz of Broadway, was so unlucky as to lose her gold watch, but she has since been lucky enough to regain possession of it. A man named Brown, who lives on Greenlawn avenue, found the ticker on East High street, and returned it to her.

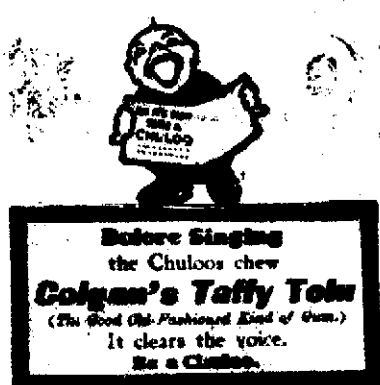
## Mixed in His Dates.

A Gazette reporter was terribly mixed in his dates in this morning's issue. In speaking of the funeral of Mrs. Powell, the reporter said it took place at the residence of deceased on south Tanner street. Both statements were erroneous. In the first place, the last sad rites over the remains of Mrs. Powell were held at Grace church at 2:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon. In the second place, there is no such street in Lima as "south Tanner"; the name "Tanner street" was changed some seven or eight years ago, to "Central avenue." There is a Tanner avenue in south Lima, which opens south from Vine street, but it is in no way connected with the old Tanner street, and the good people on that thoroughfare do not like to have their street misnamed.

Funeral of Mrs. Margaret Guider. Short funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Margaret Guider, who died on Tuesday, were held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Callie Crawford, at 930 St. Johns avenue, this morning at 8 o'clock, after which the family accompanied the remain to the Smith cemetery in Hardin county, for interment.

Had to Watch His Sidewalk. For several weeks George Davis and Frank DeVoe, of south Jackson street, have been planning to attend the Anglaize county fair. There has been some improvement made on that street lately, and Mr. and Mrs. DeVoe were compelled to make the journey today without the Davises.

Told in a Brief Way. There will be new faces in the



Before Singing the Chorus cheer Colman's Taffy Tots (The Good Old-fashioned Kind of Tots.) It clears the voice. Be a Chorus.

south side postoffice after today. Mr. William Morris has been retired, and possibly other changes will be made.

Fred Fisher, the barber, took in the Anglaize county fair today. Little Jessie Powell, daughter of the lady laid to rest yesterday, and who is also a victim of typhoid fever, was reported better this morning.

A business visitor to Columbus yesterday was E. A. Drake, of south Main street.

Mrs. Robert Dingledine, of Madison avenue, is visiting her parents in Columbus.

The John Cooper family have moved from Reece avenue to the Wade property on Second street.

Thankful improvement on First avenue is a new cement walk, on the west side of the avenue south of Second street.

The James A. Morris property on Oak street, has been purchased by David Smith, of Rosedale, Panding county.

New residents in Lima are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Biglow, formerly of Ada, who have located on south Pine street.

A. E. Pool is holding down the front chair at the Haddock & Hageman barber shop, during the absence of Mr. Haddock.

Mrs. J. B. Kennedy and Miss Thelma Whaley, of Second street, went to Spencerville this morning, to visit relatives.

Mrs. S. C. Coon, of west Circular street, is entertaining her sister, Mrs. E. D. Harker, of Adrian, Mich.

A telegram announcing the serious illness of a sister, called Mrs. Harry Fenwick, of Reece avenue, to Cincinnati, yesterday.

Mrs. S. A. Wetherill, of St. Johns avenue, has as her guest, Miss Edith Wetherill, of Harard.

Samuel Boecher and family, of Mahoningtown, Pa., called on fireman John Mack last evening, enroute to Spencerville, to visit relatives. The Boechers formerly lived in this city, but went east about six years ago.

The degree staff of Stella Robekah lodge will meet Friday evening for practice.

USED FOR PNEUMONIA. Dr. J. C. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich., says: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia with good results in every case." Refuse substitutes. For sale by H. F. Vorkamp and Wm. M. Melville.

Traced. The Prima Donna—Why don't you give the part to my daughter? She sings beautifully. She has inherited my voice. Manager Conn.—That so? I've often wondered what became of your voice.—Detroit Free Press.

Two Truths. "One of the most important things in life, my son," said the father, "is to know when to grasp an opportunity." "And another," said the wise son, "is to know when to let go of it, I suppose."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Cold Cough Versus Drunkenness. In the course of a discussion at the sanitary congress Mr. Weaver declared that it was almost impossible for any one taking a cold bath every morning to become a habitual drunkard.—London Telegraph.

Huge Returns. Harold—Did your charity ball realize anything for charity? Dolly—Well, rather. Old Jabez Gotrox set in a draft, got pneumonia, died next day and left \$10,000 to an orphan asylum.—Puck.

Ever curse yourself for being a fool? If you never did, you do not know yourself.—Archibon Globe.

## CHEAP RATES

To Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas.

Sept. 27th, Oct. 4th and 8th, the Chicago and Erie railroad will sell low rate one way and round trip tickets to points in Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territories.

W. S. MORRISON, Agent.

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## CHINESE LANGUAGE.

The Most Intricate and Ambitious Vehicle of Thought Known. Chinese has been described as "the most intricate, ambitious and unwieldy vehicle of thought that ever obtained among any people." There are eighteen varieties of it, besides the court dialect, and until recently no European knew more than three of these dialects, while it may be doubted whether any Chinaman ever fully understood them all.

In what is commonly called Chinese there are 30,000 recognized written characters, yet there is no alphabet and practically no grammar. Even this immense number of characters may be indefinitely extended, for a learned Chinese scribe, if he does not know a sign which he thinks entirely suitable to the word he desires to express, coins one. There is a Chinese printed book in the British museum with thirty-two different samples of these fussy characters.

Basque is the most difficult of European languages to acquire, chiefly because of the arbitrary adoption of extraneous words into its sentences. This character marks no other European tongue, but it is one which also renders American Indian languages very troublesome to learn. Gaelic is also difficult, for it has no affirmative and no present tense.

## A POSTOFFICE BABEL.

LANGUAGES NECESSARY TO SINGAPORE'S MAIL DELIVERY.

Singapore is the only British post office which employs letter carriers for each language. Witam that city there are so many different races who receive correspondence addressed in their own vernacular writing that proper delivery is extremely difficult.

So hard is it that in some districts it has been found necessary to send the postmen upon their rounds in sets of three.

One of these is a Malay in charge of all packets for Europeans, Jews, Armenians, Malays, Arabs, Parsees and Japanese, which are presumably addressed in European script or in writing akin to it. The second of the trio is a Chinaman, who deals with correspondence bearing ideographic characters, while the third is a Tamil, who takes out letters addressed in the writing of his own race as well as any in Telugu and southern Indian writing.

These cosmopolitan postmen have, of course, often to consult each other as they deliver the mails, but sometimes even their varied linguistic attainments have to be supplemented by a Sikh who understands Hindoostanee, Persian and northern Indian characters.

## THE CAUSE OF SURF.

Why Waves Always Become Breakers in Shallow Water.

Long and oscillatory waves run by gravity, the first agitating the water to beat the same amount at all depths, while the chief disturbance due to the latter confines itself to the upper layers of the water.

These oscillatory waves, the most typical example of which is perhaps furnished by the "swell," or regular rolling waves which continue to run in deep water after a storm, will break on a shelving shore when their height is about equal to the depth of water.

When the depth is sufficient to allow the oscillations to proceed unimpeded no progressive motion takes place, each column being kept in its place by the pressure of surrounding columns.

If, however, free oscillation is prevented, as by the shelving of the shore, the columns in the deep water are not balanced by those in the shallower, and thus they acquire a progressive motion and form "breakers." For this reason waves always break against the shore, whatever is the direction of the wind.

## The Ship Rigger.

Even compared with the work of a circus acrobat the job of a ship's rigger is extremely perilous, for whereas the circus performer is safeguarded in every way possible and the ropes and supports are thoroughly tested the rigger's duty is to ascend masts often made extremely perilous by storm. Extreme coolness and caution are necessary, and the men engaged in the calling are a clear headed, hard handed lot, who take risks cheerily and work with an instant understanding of their business. Taking into consideration the extent and character of their work, comparatively few meet with accident.—New York Herald.

## The Explanation.

Baltic Moore—How was that last cook you had?

Calvert, Jr.—The limit—positively the limit.

"But you gave her a cooking good letter of recommendation."

"Well, what was I to do? She sat right down in the kitchen and wouldn't go on any other terms."—Baltimore American.

Mitigating Circumstances. "Did you find it difficult to reconcile yourself to the loss of your daughter?"

"Yes; very at first. But her husband unexpectedly inherited \$100,000 about six weeks after they were married."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Indisposed. Robbs—In spite of all the money Newrich spends on his clothes he can't disguise his plebeian origin. Robbs—No; it's like putting a ten-dollar collar on a thirty-cent dog.—Philadelphia Record.

The flower of civilization is the finished man, the man of sense, of grace, of accomplishment, of social power—the gentleman.—Emerson.

DECORATE YOUR HOMES AND BUSINESS HOUSES FOR SATURDAY.

## SPLENDID

## Program for County W. C. T. U. Convention.

Meeting Will Be Held in Beaverdam, Friday, Sept. 30th, in M. E. Church.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold their county convention in Beaverdam, Friday, September 30th, in the M. E. church, beginning promptly at 8:30 a. m. The members of the W. C. T. U. and all others interested in temperance reform are most cordially invited to unite with us at our annual gathering, and become identified with the greatest reform movement of the age, the overthrow of the liquor traffic, and the drink custom. Human slavery was at last destroyed, though money and blood did it, and churches were divided in the belief whether it was a divine institution or not. In the years 1860 and 61 the civil strife was agitated and sustained by Garrison and Phillips, to save the nation from the blights of human slavery. Thirteen years afterward the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was born of the temperance crusade of Ohio, thirty-one years ago, and since that she has been in an other conflict against the rum traffic entrenched behind state and national license.

The victories in the sixties was by the shedding of blood, a great sacrifice of life and money. The W. C. T. U. is fighting for a second, and a greater victory still, of "self control, conviction and the ballot." The liquor traffic would not be very difficult to settle if all of the christian men and women would combine their forces under the leadership of organized societies for the work of educating public sentiment to demand prohibitory laws, and the enforcement of them, and continuous proper instruction as to the effect of alcohol, and other narcotic poison.

The christian women interested in the present foreign and missionary societies should certainly become interested in the work of the W. C. T. U., and show to the world to which side they belong, and do duty as God leads them.

The declaration of principles which the white ribbons have given out to the world on total abstinence, and prohibition should be world-wide in its example and influence, beginning in the home, church, school, and in every avenue of life that leads to good citizenship.

Being built upon these great foundations for God, home and every land, it would be worth more to the great missionary society of the several churches than millions of money, and thousands of missionaries, as the rum traffic in both home and foreign fields greatly interferes with the spread of the gospel, and christian education.

A full program is arranged for this all-day meeting with the best of talent of our own beloved women in the different departments of the work taken up in the county, namely: Infirmary and Flower Mission—Health and Heridity—Peace and Arbitration—Scientific temperance instruction—Non-Alcoholic medication—Presswork—Mothers and cradle roll—Sunday school—Unfortunate wine—Christian evangelistic work and legislation.

Added to the talks and discussions of the white ribbons will be those of educators, physicians and leading divines. Mrs. W. E. Clayton, of Lima, will lead in a discussion on Civic Righteousness. Supt. Steiner, of the public schools will talk on Temperance Teaching in the Public Schools, as the bulwark of the nation. Miss Mary Ulrich, of Lafayette, will give a report and paper on Sabbath Observance. Mrs. R. D. Cook, of Lafayette, will discuss the responsibility of motherhood in the light of present-day opportunities.

Mrs. E. Lord, Mrs. Scheiderman and Mrs. Ireland, of Lima, will give us Bible readings. Rev. George Lord, of Lima, will talk on "The Scourge of the Republic." Revs. Scoles, Keller, Todd and Oldaker will discuss civic righteousness, Sabbath desecration and other kindred topics. These important discussions will be interspersed with earnest and intelligent prayers, and the best of music.

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## THE WEATHER.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 29.—For  
Ohio—Fair, cooler tonight, except  
showers in northeast portion. Friday,  
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## COMMENTS ON LETTER.

## Manly and Forceful.

(Atlanta Constitution.)

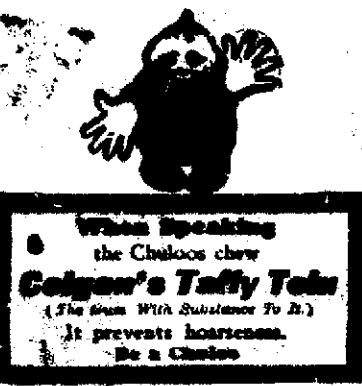
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straightforward presentation of the  
real issues in this campaign, without  
any resort to subterfuge or mis-repre-  
sentation, such as we had in the let-  
ter of his opponent. It is manly,  
forceful, fair and honest. The case  
of the democratic party as made by  
its platform and its record is fully  
presented. The man who is honestly  
seeking the issues in the present cam-  
paign will find them there.

The democratic nominee pays es-  
pecial attention to four great ques-  
tions, though he makes reference to  
others. These four are tariff reform,  
imperialism, economical administra-  
tion and honesty in the public serv-  
ice. A very considerable amount of  
space is devoted to these two latter  
issues because it is apparent to every  
man who has come in contact with the  
great business interests of this  
country, by which is meant not only  
the big interests, but the business  
interests in a broad sense, that these  
are the points upon which the pres-  
ent administration record is weakest  
in the popular mind.

## An Admirable Document.

(Philadelphia Record.)

It is a straight from the shoulder  
document, and will go straight to the  
point aimed at—the common appre-  
hension of the people. It is explicit  
on all the issues, dodging none. It  
is for constitutionalism as against  
imperialism. It favors such revision  
of the tariff as will protect our in-  
dustries, and at the same time



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## Meaning is Clear.

(Baltimore Sun.)

Judge Parker's letter of acceptance is a sober, straightforward, sensible statement of the principles and policies advocated by the democratic party. Those who have cynically suggested that the national democracy either stands for nothing in particular or else stands for policies which are not essentially different from those of their political opponents will find the answer to their criticism in the Judge's letter. The democratic stand and banner not only repels to the taunts of his republican opponents but he takes the offensive himself and arraigns the republican party in decorous language and in a judicial spirit. Judge Parker is more aggressive in this letter than he was in his speech of acceptance. But it is the aggressiveness of conservatism. There is no vehement denunciation no "running amuck," no impugning the motives of those in authority no belittling the intelligence of millions of voters who do not share his political views.

Neither Judge Parker's friends nor his political opponents can complain that he has failed to make his meaning clear or to draw the line distinctly between democratic policies and republican policies. The letter of acceptance is a sound exposition of democratic principles. Constitutionalism has been the keynote of Judge Parker's addresses and writings since his nomination last July.

## Candid and Courageous.

(Washington Post.)

Judge Parker's letter of acceptance, while not lacking in any element of the decorous dignity befitting his position, possesses all the qualities that should characterize an address calculated to whet the zeal and inspire the energies of his political brethren. It is positive, direct, candid and courageous. It has been asserted by the opposition that his acceptance speech was lacking in these respects: that it resembled a judicial deliverance, a decision, or dissenting opinion from the bench, too closely to serve as a campaign rallying call. But they will make no such criticism on this effort. It will put some animation and vigor into this hitherto incomparably dull campaign by enthusing the democracy, not less than by challenging the republicans to fresh assaults on the democratic lines. No deliverance that has marked the progress of the canvass has commanded more prompt and interested attention than will be accorded to this virile letter, and if activity does not displace indifference, if excitement does not supplant the annual calmness of the scene, no part of the responsibility will be chargeable to the democratic candidate.

## Sincerity Inspires Confidence.

(Chicago News, Independent.)

This great appeal is the keynote of a thoroughly interesting letter by a man who inspires confidence in his sincerity. His discussion of the tariff, which he wishes to reform of national expenses, which he thinks should be greatly reduced, and of other subjects relating to existing problems of government, points to the simplification of national affairs. There is a sort of pastoral air about the letter from first to last, indicating good intentions rather than ambition. Unfortunately

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## JUST A SUGGESTION.

In order to protect the pocket books of the people against the school book ring, and to place in charge of the education of the children, only those whose examples would be elevating, we suggest that it would not be a bad thing for the democrats to place in nomination for members of the board of education, seven of the best women of the city, regardless of the political affiliations of their husbands. As the case now stands, the republican nominees have been selected by Boss Quail, and his chosings are known tools of a book concern that will aid liberally with money to secure their election. To accomplish the defeat of the gang, and to place our educational matters in the highest plane possible, democrats should cast aside all party feeling and do that which is best for all.

Any seven men the democrats might nominate we believe will be defeated by the combination hatched by Quail and Campbell.

Seven good, intelligent, mothers on the democratic ticket will, we believe, command and get the support of practically every democratic voter in the city, and every mother who loves her children, and does not want them made the play thing of the book trust and its henchmen.

Remember, women can vote at the school board election, and when it comes to the protection of their home, and that therein which is dearest to them, they will vote.

Think it over democrats—think it over every body.

The Iowa state agent for Ginn & Co., who has been visiting in this city, is a versatile fellow and an elegant gentleman to meet. We suggest, however, that he should in his business cultivate a greater versatility in his literary style and diction. "A Father of Six Kids," should have a more joyous flow of English, than "A Sufferer," but from the "Open Column" letters in the Republican-Gazette it would be difficult to conclude that they were not both graduates of an institution that used nothing but Ginn & Co.'s English text books.

In this campaign in Ohio every republican candidate for a local office represents the leadership and the legislation which disgraced the state of Ohio during the season of the late legislature. Every democratic candidate for a local office represents the popular protest against the acts of that legislature. Voters who want to emphasize their contempt for those acts can best do so by voting for democratic candidates on local tickets at the approaching election.

If there is a democratic hatchet above the turf in Ohio, now is the time to bury it. The example afforded the party at large by the democrats of New York in their state convention is one certain to lead to victory if followed throughout the country.

or the cause which Judge Parker honorably represents, the evils to which he points are such as require the presence of a seer instead of the cold analysis of a historian. If imperialism impends, as Judge Parker would have the people think, at least its ill effects have not yet manifested themselves in a way as to arouse their alarm.

It is a good letter, and will repay careful reading.

## Points the Safer Way.

(Philadelphia Ledger, Independent.)  
The democratic candidate for president has in his formal letter of acceptance made no clear the political faith of which his party has made him the proponent that neither ignorance nor malice can misunderstand or misinterpret it. While the same judicial, dignified conservatism which has characterized all his recent political pronouncements has its place in this important deliverance, it is commonly more vigorous, forceful, and, occasionally, more aggressive than any of his previous public declarations.

No clearer knowledge of patriotic duty can be had by any voter than by comparing the letters of the respective presidential candidates. They are the goldenposts pointing the way each party will go if successful in the polls. Let our deliberate judgment upon

## An Appeal to Reason.

(Columbus, O., Citizen.)

The letter of Judge Parker accepting the democratic nomination for president is pre-eminently an appeal to reason. Its patriotism contains neither vanity nor bluster; it seeks first what is morally right, and after that what is materially beneficial; it sinks the self-interest of the candidate in the solicitude of the statesman for his country's welfare, and in every sentence and word invites co-operation in the objects it seeks to promote, frankly, in the expectation of mutual confidence and in terms that cannot be misunderstood. It is the utterance of a man who means what he says and says what he means, and as such asks no support under false pretenses.

## Takes Strong Hold.

(Cincinnati Enquirer.)

That Judge Parker's letter of acceptance has taken a strong hold on the people is plain from every point of view. Its splendid effect is shown in the quick, hearty and confident response of the democratic and independent press, and in the flourishing of the orthodox republican papers in

their efforts to parry the attack on their stronghold. There is also much significance in the sharp change in the reckoning of the sporting fraternity, which considers campaigns and elections on a basis of dollars and cents, and is alert and unbiased in finding the best indications. Those who have been fretful under what they looked upon as party lethargy, and have demanded more forceful work on behalf of the democratic ticket, have seen their chief ground of complaint removed. Judge Parker has written a letter which goes straight to the common understanding. He has made it easy to comprehend the issues of 1904. He has cultivated pride of citizenship among reading men, who now feel that tariff, imperialism, constitutional government, extravagance and all the other governmental questions are for them to think about. He has taken the canvass to where it pre-eminently belongs—to the very doors of the voters. He writes in "words that burn," with a compass that assures wide and diligent reading and study. In "the very nick of time" at the moment when the demonstration will do the most good—at the crisis of the battle—he has shown that there is a real leader in command, with a clear record and a fine fighting quality.

The letter of acceptance, taken in connection with the harmonious action of the New York democratic convention, gives promise of a democratic victory in the Empire state in November, the force of which every candid republican acknowledges. To the man who is unfettered in perception by his partisanship it must appear that the sentiment which will carry New York will not be peculiar to that immediate Section. It will spread to Connecticut and New Jersey and so-called doubtful states farther away.

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Corn, Sept. 53½; Dec. 50½; May 18½ @ 19, July 18½ @ 19.  
Oats, Sept. 30; Dec. 30½; May 32½.  
Pork, Sept. 11.40; Oct. 11.40; Dec. 11.45; Jan. 13.07½; May 13.15.  
Lard, Sept. 7.75; Dec. 7.52½; Nov. 7.50; Jan. 7.37½; May 7.50.  
Ribs, Sept. 7.72½; Oct. 7.72½; Jan. 6.82½; May 6.95.

## Toledo Grain.

Toledo, Sept. 29.—Wheat, cash and Sept. 1.16%; Dec. 1.17½; May 1.18.  
Corn, cash and Sept. 57; Dec. 49; May 38½.  
Oats, cash and Sept. 32; Dec. 32½; May 34½.  
Clover seed, cash and Oct. 7.42½; Dec. 7.24; May 7.55.

## SUSPENDED FROM EXCHANGE.

New York, Sept. 29.—William S. Aille, of Aille, Conger Company and S. L. Blood of S. L. Blood and Company, were suspended from the stock exchange today for one year each.

The suspended members were found guilty of violating a rule of the exchange which provides that members must not have regular wire connection with individuals or firms not connected with the exchange.



The Bear—I do hope that old man Time will save me!  
Russia does not expect to be able to do much against Japan until next year. By that time it is expected that Japan will be crushed.—News Item.

## THE STAGE.

Among the notable scenes of Al. W. Martin's "Uncle Tom's Cabin," which is to come to the Faurst opera house tonight is the St. Claire home, showing a tropical garden with its fragrant magnolia and orange trees, among which nestles the typical southern plantation residence, the home of little Eva; Legree's cotton plantation on the Red River with the cotton in full bloom; the wild rocky pass in southern Ohio, and the ice chinking Ohio river by moonlight. The transformation entitled "The Celestial City" is said to be the most magnificent tableau ever conceived. In offering his \$20,000 revival to our city, Mr. Martin not only claims that the scenic effects are superior to any ever attempted but honestly assures prospective patrons that the company is composed of the most capable talent obtainable.

## —O—

The coming of Hanton Bros.' big pantomime "Superbe" will be of more than the usual importance this season, so many changes have been made in the style of the production. Following in the trend of the times in things theatrical the Hantons have radically altered the scheme of "Superbe." The book has been rewritten by Mr. Quincy Kilby, of Boston, a writer who has been associated with many spectacular and pantomimic successes. The engagement of an all American ballet which will appear in special dances arranged by Prof. Claud M. Alvien, of New York, the introduction of a hundred new tricks and illusions, and the addition of two big specialties, will all add to the newness of the production. "Superbe" will be at the Faurst opera house tomorrow night.

## —O—

The young singing comedian, Thos. J. Smith in the "Game Keeper" presented by Messrs Rowland and Clifford will be the attraction at Faurst opera house on Saturday afternoon and evening.

"The Game Keeper" has a strong plot, full of dramatic situations and although having largely for its theme the unreasonable laws of Ireland, it is in no way sensational. It does not bore the audience with scenes that are unreal. On the contrary, every art known to stage realism has been utilized to make the effect as natural and picturesque as possible. The play pictures Ireland and its people in a true and faithful manner. The company that will interpret the different characters in the play is a strong one, and Managers Rowland and Clifford's personal guarantee is given that it will be a first class performance.

## Doctors Could Not Help Her.

"I had kidney trouble for years," writes Mrs. Raymond Conner, of Shelton, Wash., "and the doctors could not help me. I tried Foley's Kidney Cure, and the very first dose gave me relief and I am now cured. I cannot say too much for Foley's Kidney Cure." It makes the diseased kidneys sound so they will eliminate the poison from the blood. For sale by E. F. Vorkamp and Wm. M. Melville.

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## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—House—furniture—One Garland base-burner No. 55, only used three months; one couch, one refrigerator good as new, and other furniture at a bargain if sold at once. Call at room 8, Cahill block, Main and Spring streets. 2-31

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## MISCELLANEOUS.

I, 107 want to rent or purchase a house, or if you have a house or lot to sell, consult FOYE, the hustling real estate dealer, No. 65 Public Square. 95-1f

## Victor Hugo's Granddaughter.

Victor Hugo's granddaughter, Jeanne, having divorced two husbands already, is now suing for divorce from her third husband, M. A. Edwards, who was the brother-in-law of the late M. Weldeck-Rousseau. Her two previous husbands were the sons of Alfonso Daudet and of Charoot. Her career and that of her brother Georges will provide strange notes to her grandfather's charming "L'Art d'Être Grandpère." (The Art of Being a Grandfather.)—New York Tribune.

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## A TITAN

(Original.)

During the early part of the last century many families were emigrating from Virginia to Kentucky. Their usual route was down the Ohio river by means of flatboats.

Among the emigrants of that day was Colonel Alan MacMinn of Scotch-Irish descent. His flatboat load consisted, besides stores, of his wife and daughter and three men and two women negro slaves. The colonel's right hand man was an enormously strong negro whose strength had won him the name of Titan, though he was familiarly called Tite.

The Ohio and Mississippi rivers were infested in those days by some very rough people. Piracy was not uncommon, and there were no government officers to check it. One day when the emigrant party were nearing a settlement, they saw a boat put off from the shore and head directly for them. As soon as it drew near it was plain its occupants were bent on no good. They were a hard featured lot, dressed in coat skin caps and buckskin clothes, and were all armed with rifles and pistols. However, the sailors were often thrust and Colonel MacMinn was not one of these men until they had taken possession and ordered him and his family below, where they were placed under guard. The negro men they required to work the boat.

The matter appeared that he was being taken to the capture, since by seeing the pirates he might see his fellow slaves. This surprised him, as he was told them that this was to prevent suspicion, and he would watch for an opportunity to recapture the boat.

The pirates, seven in number, soon after taking their prize found themselves in what are called the falls of the Ohio, a part of the river where the current is very rapid. It was night and a very dark night. Their captain was somewhat anxious as to the safety of the property he had become possessed of, though he cared nothing for human life. Among the stores on the boat was a barrel of rum, which his men appropriated. Tite watched them, hoping that they would get stupid, but they stood an enormous quantity of liquor and were rather inclined to dance and sing on deck. Their captain cursed them for idiots, then ignored them, trusting to Tite and the two negroes to navigate the boat. Tite stood at the big steering oar, secured to the boat by a wooden pin, while his fellow slaves were dodging the drunken pirates, who were amusing themselves hitting whatever they could find at them. The captain was at the front of the boat peering down the river.

The passed the word to his fellow slaves that he was about to attack the pirates, and they promised to help him. Since the blacks were without any arms whatever, the attempt was hazardous and if unsuccessful would result in their death and possibly that of the family. When Tite spoke the pirates were separated, but before he could act two of them had joined the captain. However, Tite made up his mind to proceed. He left the three pirates to his three men and went forward.

Approaching the captain as if to make a suggestion, he seized him around the body. The other two men, quickly taking warning, sprang for Tite and endeavored to pull him off. One of them drew a pistol, but dropped it on the deck. While he was looking for it Tite succeeded in kicking the comrade in the stomach, which paralyzed his efforts, and the negro, putting forth all his gigantic strength, raised the captain in his arms and threw him into the river. Then, taking up the man he had killed, he served him likewise. By this time the man looking for his pistol found it, but Tite seized it and shot him dead.

Meanwhile the other two negroes, whose enemies were separated, ran to the nearest pirate, seized him and threw him overboard. The other two, seeing danger, got together and were attacked by the two blacks. One of the blacks was wounded by a shot, and the other was getting the worst of it when Tite came up and, seizing first one pirate, then the other, threw both overboard. At the moment a man on guard below, having heard the scuffling, came out and was served in the same manner.

All this had scarcely been accomplished when the captain was discovered climbing over the stern, but Tite pushed him back into the river. The others of the pirates attempted to climb aboard, but they were served in the same manner, and at last the boat was free.

The colonel, being left unguarded, now came up from below, expecting that the pirates had concluded to murder the party and had commenced with the negroes. When he found that the boat was in possession of his faithful slaves, that the lives of himself and his family had been saved, his gratitude knew no bounds. He gave every one of them his freedom on the spot and promised an additional reward in the future.

Tite and his assistants successfully navigated the boat to Louisville, and the colonel, who had had enough of the river and its dangers, concluded to stop there. The family went ashore, the stores were unloaded and the flatboat broken up and used to build a dwelling. Colonel MacMinn had five papers made out for the negroes who had saved the party, but the slaves were then up. Their master was an especially kind man, and they had known no other home than in his family, so they concluded that freedom would be of no use to them.

JAMES C. HINES.

## Sarah Bernhardt's Tact.

An illustration of Sarah Bernhardt's consummate tact is shown in the following incident: During a performance of "Andromache" the hoots and hisses of many of the roughest men in the gallery led to their being ejected by the soldiers on guard. But, deaf to the objections of manager and secretary, Mme. Bernhardt insisted on the men being sent for between the acts. So, freed from the hails of the police, the disturbers, to their surprise, found themselves in the beautiful, electric lighted, cream and gold rooms, redolent of the perfume of flowers, and faced by the lady they had insulted, looking beautiful in the glittering gorgeous dress of the eastern princess. "Messieurs," said Mme. Sarah, with gracious dignity, "I have sent for you to say that the police are not to molest you. You are to go back to your places, and you are permitted to hiss as much as you like." The rough and motley crowd left the room in amazement, and storms of applause burst from the gallery when the curtain fell after the next act.

## Kerosene Oil.

A common kerosene lamp, with its chimney of glass, its varied forms of beauty, its shades modified to every grade of vision and of taste, suggests the relation of man to light. The oil, natural, cheap, brilliant and volatile, was long known to civilized humanity as a crude outflow from the earth. It was not until about 1845 that the iridescent seam seen floating on the surface of a stream near Pittsburgh suggested to thoughtful men to dig for a greater supply. Indians came from a distance and soaked it from the water with their blankets, which they wrung out into vessels in order to secure a quantity for some secret purpose. It was not until 1860 that it passed into common use. Since that time it has driven every form of wax, grease, fluid, camphene and whale oil lamp from the common use of mankind.

## Great Gals of Old.

We are accustomed to think of large cannon as a very recent invention. Yet as long ago as 1543 a certain Ralph Bourne of Ruckstead, in Sussex, cast large guns, and a pupil of his, Thomas Johnson, in 1595 made for the Earl of Cumberland forty-two cast pieces of great ordinance of iron. These weighed 6,000 pounds three tons apiece, and we are told, showed very fine, smooth workmanship. All the smelting was done with charcoal, of which it took three tons to smelt each ton of iron. Also all the ore was carried from the mine on pack horses, which took a load of about 200 pounds each. The immense amount of labor and consequent expense may be imagined.

## The Horseshoe as a Maxims.

The horseshoe that associates the horseshoe with good luck is very old. It is said to prevail not only among English speaking people, but in all races of Europe and Asia. Antiquaries are undecided whether its origin has to do with the material from which the horseshoe is made or with its shape. Some writers on this subject have surmised that the lucky qualities attributed to the horseshoe were derived from its fancied resemblance to the halo pictured about the heads of saints, but this connection is highly improbable, as it is known that the superstition certainly antedates Christianity.

## How Baraboo Got Its Name.

Indians gave Baraboo its name, but the word is not Indian. Baribou or Baribouit was the name of an old Canadian French trader who at the age of seventeen sought the then wilderness of Wisconsin to secure pelts for the Hudson Bay company and later for the American Fur company. He established a post where the town of Baraboo now stands. Being the first white man in those parts, the Indians named the place after him, but as they had not had the advantage of a French education could not get the pronunciation of the name nearer than Baraboo, and Baraboo it remains to this day.

## Lone Star States.

In the course of conversation at a club the other evening a man referred to the "Lone Star State."

"What state do you mean?" he was asked.

"Why, Texas, of course."

"Well," he was told, "do you know that there are no fewer than five independent sovereign states which use a lone star on their national flags today? They are Turkey, Chile, Cuba, Liberia and the Kongo Free State."

## A Black Eye.

In the treatment of contusions where there is extensive discoloration of the skin if olive oil be freely applied without rubbing the discoloration will quickly disappear. Absorbent cotton may be soaked in the oil and applied. If the skin is broken a little boracic acid should be applied over the abrasion. A black eye thus treated can be made normal in a few hours, especially if the oil be applied warm.

## She Had Cause For Fear.

"Mamma," said the candid beauty to her maternal ancestor, "I am really alarmed at Mr. Kinkey's intense passion for me."

## Why, my dear?

"Only last night he declared I was sweet enough to eat."—Buffalo Times.

## Answered.

A physician finding a lady reading "Twelfth Night" said, "When Shakespeare wrote about patience on a monument, did he mean doctors' patients?"

"No," she answered, "You don't find them on monuments, but under them."

The great bulk of the people are honest. If they were not, this would indeed be a poor world to which to live. Boston Herald.

## What Happened to A Country Girl

(Original.)

This is a plain unembellished story of what might happen in a large city any day.

Winifred Bolles, an unsophisticated country girl, went to town in search of employment. Walking from store to store she at last found herself unwittingly in the private office of a benevolent looking old gentleman, Mr. Herman Knowles, who, though she did not know it, was the head of the firm.

"What is it, little girl?" he asked kindly.

Winifred asked for work and was sent to the proper person with Mr. Knowles' order that she be employed. She was directed to begin her labor the next morning.

As she was leaving the store a man stepped up to her and said:

"Would you mind taking this to the telephone office over there, my dear? Here's a quarter to pay for it."

"Certainly," said Winifred, and without even asking why the man didn't take it himself, she started for the telephone office. The message was inclosed in an envelope, and when she reached the window where messages were received and handed it in the clerk took it out of the envelope and with it a peculiar looking instrument made of steel wire.

"Hm!" he said, looking at the girl suspiciously. Then he read the message.

Ben-Don't come tonight. We are watching. ROSE.

Again the clerk looked at the girl, scanned her features closely and said:

"Sit down there while I count the words."

Winifred obeyed, but had not been seated five minutes when a policeman entered and went to the window, where the clerk handed him the message and the wire instrument. Then the policeman turned to Winifred and told her to come with him. She was taken to a police station and led up before an inspector, the policeman at the same time producing the articles he had received from the clerk, saying:

The girl tried to send the telegram, evidently warning a burglar. She'd unintentionally left the skeleton key in the envelope and handed both to the clerk at the telephone office.

"Did you order the message sent and its receiver arrested?"

"Yes."

"All right. Take her away."

Poor little Winifred was led away to a cell without the slightest knowledge of where she was going.

She knew no one in the city, but the face of the kind looking gentleman who had employed her kept coming up to her, and she determined if possible to send word to him of her misfortune. Her message was delivered, and the firm's lawyer was instructed to attend to her case. He called to see Winifred, listened suspiciously to her story, then heard the statement of the inspector, forming the opinion that Winifred was in service and had a lover who she had been intending to introduce into her employer's premises for the purpose of robbery. This opinion he reported to Mr. Knowles, with the remark, "All depends upon whether the telegram reaches its destination. Thus far the messenger has not been able to find the person to whom it was addressed."

"Nor will he," said Mr. Knowles. "The man who gave her the message watched her and saw her arrest. He doubtless found a way to a warning."

"How do you account for her having a skeleton key?"

"I have no theory as to that. I judge of the girl only from what I saw of her for a few minutes, and I am never deceived as to at least her face."

"And you do not consider her application to you for work a mere bluff?"

"Certainly not. Please assume that she is innocent and do the best you can for her." And the merchant turned to other matters.

The plan adopted by the police was to have Winifred held for trial and the trial put off in hopes of developments or an implication by the girl of her confederate. When Winifred was brought up for examination there was really nothing to be said in her favor. One thing and one alone gave her hope. Among the visitors in the courtroom she saw the steady face of Mr. Knowles. There was something in those benevolent features that sent a thrill of relief through her poor little heart.

The judge heard the statement of the prosecution and would have listened to the evidence of the defense if there had been any. Since there was not, Winifred's attorney contented himself with forming improbable theories as to how Winifred came into possession of the incriminating articles. The judge remanded the prisoner for trial, fixing her bail at \$1,000.

"I will furnish that bail," said Mr. Knowles, rising, and the paper being signed, Winifred was discharged. Her benefactor told her to go to work at the store the next morning.

Before the trial came off, by Mr. Knowles' orders, Winifred's history from the time of her birth was collected, testimonials as to her character were obtained from her home in the country and were produced by able counsel. Winifred was acquitted and became one of the most important of the employees of Knowles & Co. But neither the man who gave her the telegram nor the one to whom it was addressed was ever found.

There was an innocent girl saved from months in prison and a probable conviction involving years more of the same dreadful life by the confidence and kindness of one man who knew honesty intuitively.

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And you must eat meat and plenty of it. Don't cut the fat off. The cow got most of the good out of the lean in her lifetime. The fat is what will do you good. All that there is to cod liver oil that makes it worth while is that it is a fat easy to assimilate. Bacon fat is nearly as easy to digest and about 500 times as easy to take.

Fruits and salads you may eat merely to amuse yourself and pass the time. But you are wasting stomach room on them. Milk, eggs, meat and hard breads for if you are to get well. Not a great deal at a time, but often. Everybody's Magazine.

## What Chemistry May Do.

It has been said that a century is the natural duration of the human body; that it decays earlier because it does not receive proper care in health and disease. In regard to this latter, here is a suggestion from a man who protests against so much research in electricity to the neglect of chemistry. He says there are seventy-two elements of matter capable of entering into an infinity of combinations and concludes therefore "that a form of matter must be capable of existence, and must therefore be within the power of chemical research to discover and prepare, which will possess any assignable or conceivable potency or influence over any form or species of matter, dead or living." If this be true, then it is possible to chemistry to find substances which will neutralize all the poisons generated by disease germs and kill disease the moment it is discovered. Exchange.

## The Omnivorous Korean.

The Korean is omnivorous. Birds of the air, beasts of the field and fish from the sea—nothing comes amiss to his palate. Dog meat is in great request at certain seasons. Pork and beef with the blood undrained from the carcasses, fowls and game-birds cooked with the lights, head and claws intact—fish sun dried and highly malodorous—all are acceptable to him. Cooking is not always necessary. A species of small fish is preferred raw, dipped into some pungent sauce. Other dainties are dried seaweed, shrimps, vermicelli, pine seeds, ily buds and all vegetables and cereals. The excesses make the Korean martyrs of indigestion.

## A Mean Husband.

"I think old Kiezas has the queerest way of teasing his wife I ever heard of."

"I thought he was fond of her."

"He is, but he likes to get a joke on her. You know she is sensitive about her age. Well, he has let everybody know that when they were married he gave her a magnificent necklace of diamonds, each diamond representing a year of her age, and he adds one to the string every time she has a birthday. Imagine how the poor woman is torn between her desire to display the necklace and the fear that when she wears it everybody will be counting the diamonds."

## Touchees.

There is a disease called "Touchees," a disease which, in spite of its innocent name, is one of the gravest sources of restlessness in the world. Touchees, when it becomes chronic, is a morbid condition of the inward disposition. It is self love indamed to the acute point. The cure is to shift the joke to some other place; to let men and things touch us through some new and perhaps as yet unused part of our nature; to become meek and lowly in heart while the old nature is becoming numb from want of use. Exchange.

## The Eternal Womanly.

"I must have a new gown and coat at once."

"Great thunderation, woman, how can you ask for a gown and coat when you have to testify in my bankruptcy hearing next week?"

"I simply have to have them. Do you think I can face the people in the courtroom when I am wearing my old clothes?"—Indianapolis Sun.

## The Charm of His Hamlet.

Concerning Hamlet as played by the late Wilson Barrett a little story is told in the greenrooms where the actor was known. One of the ancients was talking of the Hamlets he had seen on the stage. "Well," he said, "I've seen dozens of 'em, but of all the factors wot played Hamlet give me Barrett. He was always 'Jone ten minutes afore any of the others.'"

## Rapt in His Art.

Musicians—I tell you, ladies, we artists cannot succeed unless we give up our very souls to our art. Why, last week I was so rapt in a composition that I was playing that a thief stole the violin from under my chin, and I never noticed it.

## Proved.

Professor Which is the most delicate of the senses? Pupil—The touch. Professor—Prove it. Pupil—When you sit on a pin, you can't see it, you can't hear it, you can't taste it, but it's there.

## Spirited.

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## SHERIFF'S SALE.

Lena Sanford, Plaintiff, vs. Anna Marmion et al., Defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, October 22, 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 12 o'clock m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the city of Lima, Allen county,

## state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

First Parcel:  
In-lot number thirty-seven hundred and sixty-six (3766) in Sanford's addition to the city of Lima, county of Allen and state of Ohio.  
Appraised at \$2,400.00.

Second Parcel:  
In-lot number thirty-seven hundred and seventy-two (3772) in Sanford's addition to the city of Lima, county of Allen and state of Ohio.  
Appraised at \$225.00.

Third Parcel:  
In-lot number thirty-seven hundred and seventy-three (3773) in Sanford's addition to the city of Lima, county of Allen and state of Ohio.  
Appraised at \$150.00.

Fourth Parcel:  
In-lot number thirty-seven hundred and seventy-four (3774) in Sanford's addition to the city of Lima, county of Allen and state of Ohio.  
Appraised at \$150.00.

Fifth Parcel:  
In-lot number thirty-seven hundred and seventy-five (3775) in Sanford's addition to the city of Lima, county of Allen and state of Ohio.  
Appraised at \$150.00.

Sixth Parcel:  
In-lot number thirty-seven hundred and seventy-six (3776) in Sanford's addition to the city of Lima, county of Allen and state of Ohio.  
Appraised at \$150.00.

Seventh Parcel:  
In-lot number thirty-seven hundred and seventy-seven (3777) in Sanford's addition to the city of Lima, county of Allen and state of Ohio.  
Appraised at \$150.00.

Eighth Parcel:  
The following described premises situate in the city of Lima, county of Allen and state of Ohio, to-wit:

All that part of out-lot number two hundred and thirteen (213) which lies northeast of Sanford avenue and southeast of the line between in-lots numbers thirty-seven hundred and sixty-two (3762) and thirty-seven hundred and sixty-three (3763), and in-lots numbers thirty-seven hundred and sixty-four (3764) and thirty-seven hundred and sixty-five (3765), and between in-lots thirty-seven hundred and seventy-seven (3777) and thirty-seven hundred and seventy-eight (3778) in Sanford's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, if said line was extended to the east line of out-lot two hundred and fifteen (215); also all that part of out-lot two hundred and fourteen (214) which lies southeast of said division line between in-lots thirty-seven hundred and sixty-one (3761) and thirty-seven hundred and sixty-two (3762), and between in-lots thirty-seven hundred and seventy-seven (3777) and thirty-seven hundred and seventy-eight (3778) if extended to the east line of out-lot number two hundred and fifteen (215); and south of the south line of Market street as extended through said lots.  
Appraised at \$150.00.

Ninth Parcel:  
The following described premises situate in the city of Lima, county of Allen and state of Ohio, to-wit:

All that part of out-lots numbers two hundred and fourteen (214) and two hundred and fifteen (215) which lies southeast of the line between in-lots numbers thirty-seven hundred and sixty-one (3761) and thirty-seven hundred and sixty-two (3762) and in-lots numbers thirty-seven hundred and seventy-seven (3777) and thirty-seven hundred and seventy-eight (3778) in Sanford's addition to the city of Lima, if said line was extended to the east line of out-lot number two hundred and fifteen (215); and north of the north line of Market street as extended.  
Appraised at \$75.00.

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Mark Paul Diefenderfer, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Mark P. Diefenderfer, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 7th day of Sept., A. D. 1904.  
ELIZA V. DIEFENDERFER.

## NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT.

Before Wm. F. Reilly, justice of the peace, in and for Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

The Malou Stone Company, vs. E. H. Barto and J. W. McGowan, as partners under the firm name of Barto & McGowan.

On the 20th day of July, A. D. 1904, said justice of the peace issued an order of attachment, and in the above action for one hundred and seventy-eight and 07/100th dollars (\$178.07).

## LEGAL NOTICE.

In the court of common pleas of Allen county, Ohio. Case No. 12,052.

In the matter of the application of The Number Three Oil Company for dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1904 W. J. Kiehn was appointed referee in the above entitled action and it was further ordered that all persons interested in said corporation be given, why show cause, if any they have, why said corporation should not be dissolved, before said referee at his office in Lima, Ohio, on the 22nd day of December, 1904. And said referee was ordered to proceed on this date and on subsequent dates to which said hearing might be continued to hear the allegations and proofs of such parties and report the same to said court with statements of the property, debts, credits, and engagements of said corporation and all other matters and things pertaining to its affairs.

## W. H. LEBT, Attorney.

340-2-wed-3w

## NIP IT IN THE BUD.

First Appearance of Scandals a Forerunner of Future Disasters.  
That such is the case has been conclusively proven by scientific research. Prof. Unna, the noted European skin specialist, declares that dandruff is the byproduct of outlets of the scalp, caused by the decay of the vitality in the hair bulb. The hair becomes lifeless, and, in time, falls out. This can be prevented.

Newbro's Herpicide kills this dandruff germ, and restores the hair to its natural softness and abundance. Herpicide is now used by thousands of people—all testify that it is the most wonderful hair preparation on the market today.







## FACE

Of Nature Being Changed

By the Modern

Methods Employed for Benefit of Man.

Great Engineering Feat and Mechanical Skill in Building Reservoir,

Which Will Give to Lima a Mammoth Basin Holding Six Hundred Million Gallons of Water.

Few people, possibly not one in a hundred, have any conception of the enormous undertaking assumed by J. C. Lenneman, and his associates, J. A. Bendure and J. D. S. Neely, in giving to Lima a new water reservoir—Mammoth in its proportions, and adequate for the needs of the city for generations to come. In taking the contract into their own hands they see the carrying out of a long cherished project, without a single slight in its construction and fully complying with every demand from a sanitary point of view.

The great natural amphitheater is a bee hive at present. Hundreds of men and teams, and puffing engines and dredges being engaged in changing the face of nature to meet the needs of a bustling and growing city. It is surprising to note the advance that has been made, and yet the work is but fairly started. Aided by the natural elevation which rises in its course around a considerable portion of the reservoir bed, the engineers have laid their lines to meet it with a great levee, constructed to a considerable extent from the earth taken in the cutting of a new channel for the river.

The bed of the so-called river bends upon itself at the foot of the infirmary hill, and cuts through the reservoir. Work was begun yesterday with the big steam dredge in cutting a new channel for the river flow, and starting at its bank a long false trestle is now being constructed, across which a locomotive and dumping cars will be drawn to fill in the stretch to the height of twenty feet or more. The trestle will connect the natural levee with the one now under construction and when completed will enclose a basin estimated to hold six hundred million gallons of water.

The system of operation under Contractor Wise is an effective one. In whatever line the workmen are engaged, they move under the orders of competent foremen, and every day, in spite of the gigantic outline, sees the progress which indicates a speedy fulfillment of the contract. The laying of the mile conduit, raising of the levee; cutting of timber and blowing up of stumps for clearing; building of the long tunnel to take care of drainage and sewerage from the infirmary; constructing the mile and a half of railroad switches; placing of miles of tiling; removing of huge banks of earth and filling in pits and sink holes; erection of the pumping station—all going on, step by step, without conflict, and progressing, inch by inch.

### We Are Like Machinery.

A small defect will if not speedily and immediately remedied render useless and powerless the most wonderful pieces of mechanism. The engine that supplies power for your every exertion is out of repair. This may truthfully be said of nine out of ten persons.

Your digestive organs are the machinery that you should keep constantly in repair. Neglect in this leads to complications that are almost impossible to correct. Biliousness, Nervous Headache, Belching and Heart Fluttering will never be known to you if you keep your digestive organs in perfect condition and your bowels clean and regular. Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin does this. It is guaranteed to do this for you, the children or the grandparents. Get a trial bottle, then you will know the truth and will always use this famous remedy. Your druggist sells 50c and \$1.00 bottles.

toward the whole, every branch of which is a component part.

Between the big reservoir and the city runs a conduit, a mile in length, which has a rise of five feet at one extreme and seven feet at the other, and a force of forty men is now engaged in digging the ditch across one of the turns of the creek, at its lowest point. The average depth of the ditch is eight feet, the deepest cut being 18 feet. There has been 1800 feet of the ditch laid and covered, up to the present, which is about one-third the length of the conduit to be used in carrying the water from the new reservoir to the city for consumption.

All of the work on the big basin has been done so far by men and teams, but the steam dredge was put in operation yesterday and with a capacity of 1500 yards of earth a day, the progress will be noticeably rapid. The work will be further hastened when the Pennsylvania switches are laid to bring cars alongside of the dredge and to away with the teams now being used. The dredge will make two wide cuts in constructing the new channel through which the river will flow. The levee, which will have a base of 90 feet, and rise at its highest point, to a height of 27 feet, will be further protected from the encroachment of the creek at high tide, by a flat berme bank ten feet wide.

One feature of the construction is a big contract in itself. A 1200 foot tunnel, built of double reamed brick, and having an inside diameter of four feet, is being built to take care of surface drainage and the sewerage from the infirmary, which now runs through an open ditch across the basin of the reservoir. The tunnel will carry off all of the polluted water to the new channel of the creek, at a point below where the pumping station will receive its supply. All of the smaller ditches which drain water from oil wells in the vicinity are to be taken care of also, thus reducing the flow of saline matter into the creek to a minimum.

The power house, which has its high stone foundation completed, will be supplied with two pumps, operated by motors of 200 horse power capacity, and will be capable of delivering one million gallons of water to the reservoir every hour they are in operation.

A Times-Democrat representative had the pleasure of going over the grounds with J. D. S. Neely yesterday, and was as surprised as others will be at the magnitude of the undertaking. To describe the process, as it has been done, can give but a partial insight to the great tussle with what nature has provided, and a drive to the reservoir would be a reward to those who desire to see for themselves.

DECORATE YOUR HOMES AND BUSINESS HOUSES FOR SATURDAY. 301-3t

### JOHN McCORD

Of C. H. & D. Has Lost His Aged Mother.

The remains of Mrs. Mary McCord, mother of John R. McCord, excursion manager of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton, who died at the family home in Washington, D. C., on last Friday, were brought to Camden, O., and the interment took place yesterday. Mrs. McCord died after a long siege of typhoid fever. Her daughter, Miss Ella McCord, is dangerously ill with the disease. Mr. McCord has been in Washington the past several weeks at the bedside of his mother and sister. His many friends will regret to learn of his bereavement.

### LIMA MEN HONORED.

W. R. Aphas and Rev. A. E. Davis, of Lima, were named respectively as members of the lay and ministerial committees, to be voted upon to be one of six delegates to go to Topeka, Kansas next May, to attend the general conference of the United Brethren church. All churches in the Sandusky conference will have a vote as to whom the delegates shall be. Lima may be represented both among the ministers and laymen.

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### GIANT

Watermelon Received by C. H. East and J. B. Kerr.

Messrs. J. B. Kerr and C. H. East have on exhibition at the Lima Trust Co.'s banking house in the Masonic building, a giant watermelon, which was shipped to them, in a barrel, from Oklahoma Territory by John Kloth, of this city. The melon weighs 37 pounds and measures 49½ inches in circumference. It will be served at a meeting of the Lima Trust Co. directors next Monday.

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## GOODS

Found in Pockets of Prisoner

Are Identified

As Property Stolen at Berne, Ind.

Prisoner Is Also Identified as a Man Who Was Seen There.

Hearing of Officer Billstein's Case Before Board of Public Safety Has Been Continued. Other Cases.

Mr. Baumgardner, of a hardware firm at Berne, Ind., whose store was burglarized last Sunday night, was in the city last night and he positively identified the thirteen razors, five knives and the revolver that were found in the possession of the prisoner, Carpenter, who was captured here by Detective Patton and Officer Kelly, Tuesday. Mr. Baumgardner also identified the prisoner as a man who had been seen about the town of Berne for about ten days prior to the night of the burglary and was employed about a livery stable in the town.

The prisoner, before being identified by Mr. Baumgardner, declared that he never was in the state of Indiana, and that he would not go to Berne without requisition papers were issued. He is in the county jail, having been bound over by Mayor Robb on the charge of carrying a concealed weapon, and the authorities of Berne will have plenty of time and opportunity to secure the necessary papers to take him back to the Hoosier state.

**The Billstein Case.**  
President S. M. Fletcher, of the board of public safety, having returned from the southwest, the case of Policeman Billstein, who was permanently suspended from duty by Mayor Robb on the charge of improper conduct, which has been taken on appeal to the board, was to have been taken up for a hearing before that board today, but owing to the illness of the defendant's attorneys, J. D. Armstrong and J. C. Kidenour, the matter has been continued indefinitely. Mr. Billstein's friends are working hard in his behalf, and hope to secure his re-instatement to duty in the police department.

**Other Cases.**  
Ethel Goodwin, the young woman who was recently taken to the city hospital while under the influence of what she claimed was a drug, was taken into custody again last night, for safe keeping, and will be given over into the keeping of some of her relatives. The young woman was unable to substantiate any of the sensational statements she made to the police at the time of her recent arrest. Homer Groves, charged with fighting, was released and instructed to appear before Mayor Robb tomorrow. J. R. Blais, charged with drunkenness, was also released and instructed to appear later.

### EXCITING

Runaway From Which Three Had a Narrow Escape.

Shortly after 12 o'clock today a spirited mare which was hitched to a top buggy and was being driven by Frank Davidson, residing west of the city, became frightened when at the corner of Market and Elizabeth streets and started to run north on Elizabeth street. At the corner of High the animal turned west and then made another sharp turn, running almost into the main entrance of the Masonic building. The buggy struck one of the lamp posts at the entrance to the building and caused the shafts to break, which released the mare from the buggy. Davidson, however, held onto the lines and succeeded in stopping the animal before any further damage was done. Davidson's left leg was badly bruised, but his wife and child, who were in the buggy with him, escaped without injury. The runaway was very exciting and the escape of the occupants of the buggy was miraculous.



## OBJECT

To Connection of High School Sewers,

And There Is a Hint to an Injunction Suit.

Claim Is Made That High Street Sewer Is Now Inadequate and Business Houses Would Suffer.

There is now talk of an injunction suit to prevent the board of education from connecting the high school sewers to the High street line. Complaint is made that the line is now insufficient to take care of the water during a heavy fall of rain and that if the drainage from the school property and the sewerage is turned into it that business property on High street will suffer.

Several times of late the basement of the Masonic block and other property on High street has been flooded with several inches of back water from the sewers and the statement was made by a business man this morning that the city should relieve the situation by putting down additional sewers on West street. If there is no money in the fund for the purpose, some means should be devised to provide it for the present emergency.

DECORATE YOUR HOMES AND BUSINESS HOUSES FOR SATURDAY. 301-3t

### EVENING SCHOOL

At Lima Business College Opens October 3.

A large number of young people who are employed during the day will take up evening courses in Book-keeping, Penmanship, Arithmetic, Shorthand, Typewriting, etc., at the Lima Business College this winter. The evening school is in charge of the regular instructors, and students receive individual instruction. Results are guaranteed to faithful students. Sessions on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. Tuition \$5 a month. The college office is open evenings for the enrollment of pupils. If not convenient to call, write or phone for further information.

LIMA BUSINESS COLLEGE, 0-3t  
Holmes Block.

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### EAGLE BAND

With Thirty Men Will Play the Concert Tonight.

The new Eagle band with thirty musicians and directed by Prof. Richards, will play the regular Thursday night concert on the public square this evening. This will be the first time that the entire band has appeared at a Thursday night concert since the consolidation of the Eagle and Richards bands. The program tonight will be as follows: Souvenir de Suisse—March, Verecken Selection—Bohemian Girl, Tobain Romance—Love and Friendship, a Saxophone Solo, Brooks Medley Overture—Pastime on the Yukon, Carvers Forget Me Not—Waltz, Brooks Selection—Faust, Gounod March.

For wood of any kind, call Central Coal Co. Both phones. 89-1t

### CONDUCTOR

Nims Continues to Show Improvement.

Stated Positively to His Physicians That He Only Fired But a Single Shot.

The condition of Conductor Asa Nims, who attempted suicide at the C. H. & D. depot, continues to be a marvel among the medical fraternity. An improvement is noticed today over yesterday, and there is now even a strong hope that he will be saved from death.

If he should survive, it remains to be seen just what the brain disturbance will have caused in his physical condition, his left limb at present being totally paralyzed. He has recovered consciousness, and was able to converse intelligently, having stated positively to his physicians, Drs. Chenoweth and Wendock, that he fired but one shot. His explanation does not account for the two perforating wounds in his head, and any number of plausible reasons, all conjectured, however, might be given to explain the mystery.

## The Handsome New Fall Clothing for Men.

THE CLOTHING AT MORRIS BROS. is especially designed and constructed to fulfill the expectations of men who are accustomed to wearing high priced made-to-order apparel. No matter what unsatisfactory experience you may have had with ready-for-service clothing secured elsewhere, if you will come here we will prove conclusively that you can secure the same wear and satisfaction in our clothes as in the custom tailor's most expensive product at a great saving to you.

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are our prices for the Hart Schaffner & Marx New Fall Suits and Overcoats.

Other guaranteed grades in all the new things for fall and winter,

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All the New Fall Hats. Hawes Special \$3.



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217 North Main St. Lima, Ohio.

### SHAWNEE ITEMS.

Charles Bowscher and family spent Sunday at the home of relatives at Spencerville.

Cliff Hurst, of Lima, was the guest Sunday of C. E. Strawbridge and family.

J. A. Umbaugh and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pierson, of Elida, Sunday.

A large number from here are attending the Anglaise county fair at Wapakoneta this week.

R. R. Zurnehly, of the Ohio Northern University at Ada, spent Sunday with his mother.

Seth Adgate and Clinton Strawbridge will leave next Tuesday for St. Louis to attend the Expo.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harpster are spending their honeymoon at Hamilton, the guests of the former's brother and family.

J. J. Hall is re-roofing his house, giving it a slate roof.

The condition of Mrs. C. E. Strawbridge, who is suffering with intermittent fever, continues to grow less encouraging daily.

The eleven year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Johns is ill with typhoid.

The rig is up for another well on the Britt and Sinclair stock farm and drilling will begin in a few days. The Ohio Oil Company has abandoned the Alva Bresser farm and the power house is being torn down and removed.

St. Matthew's Lutheran church was crowded last Sunday to witness the confirmation of a class of young people, composed of the following: Blanch De Long, Golda Crider, Edith Roser, Edna De Long, Oscar Rhodes, Allie Bowscher, Clara Nungesser, Ruth Weisenmeyer, Willie Mayer and Frank Loyer. Another class will be confirmed next fall.

Rev. A. M. Crist has been returned to the Cridersville circuit and will occupy the pulpit at Shawnee another year.

Frank Bowscher recently had several sheep killed by stray dogs. Charlie Bowscher shot at the dogs as they were running through the woods but failed to kill any of them.

Clover seed cutting is the order of the day and the most of the farmers predict a fair yield this season.

John Mayer killed a pole cat in his barn yard a few evenings ago, and now has a finely mounted specimen of the skunk family.

You no doubt have pretty pictures at home. Bring them in and see how nicely we can frame them. 0-3t CITY BOOK STORE.

TEMPORARY RESTRAINING

Order Issued Against Nineteen Chicago Ticket Brokers, by U. S. Judge Grosscup.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—A temporary restraining order against nineteen railroad ticket brokers has been entered by Judge Grosscup in the United States circuit court. The order enjoins the ticket brokers from dealing in any railroad tickets or the unused portions thereof, "which by the terms thereof are non transferable." Judge Grosscup's order takes in nearly all round trip tickets, the unused or returned portions of which are the ticket broker's chief stock in trade.

### HONORED

By Selection on Important Committee.

Hon. H. S. Prophet Will Assist in Organization

Of State Board of Charities and Corrections. Meetings Are Well Attended in Capitol City.

Hon. H. S. Prophet, who is attending the annual conference of charities and corrections at Columbus, was called upon to assist on the most important of the several committees. He was selected as a member of the committee on organization, a compliment not to be underestimated.

An interesting report was made by Rev. C. N. Pond, of Oberlin, at the meeting yesterday which shows that more than ten million of dollars have been spent by the state in the last two years, which may be classed as reformatory, industrial and charitable.

The committees announced by the secretary are as follows: Time and Place—C. M. Hubbard, Cincinnati, chairman; Dr. F. H. Darby, Columbus; Mrs. Sinal Blount, Hillsboro; Mrs. Mantie Hunter, Warren; H. P. Kennedy, Oberlin; Louis Sells, Tiffin; James F. Jackson, Cleveland; Milton C. Lakin, Columbus; Frank C. Hubbard, Columbus.

Organization—W. J. Shuey, Dayton, chairman; J. H. McClung, Sidney; General R. Brinkerhoff, Mansfield; N. W. Baker, Champaign; Dr. C. S. Carr, Columbus; S. J. Hathaway, Marietta; H. S. Prophet, Lima; Mrs. Mary E. White, Columbus.

Resolutions—C. N. Pond, Oberlin, chairman; G. W. Harberger, Jackson; Mrs. A. K. Fouser, Akron; Miss Elizabeth Harlow, Youngstown; Thomas E. Knauss, Columbus; O. K. Ellis, Columbus; Mrs. C. E. Kistler, Warren.

### REMAINS

Of Mrs. Hullinger Taken to Her Late Home Today.

The remains of Mrs. Catherine Hullinger who died in the city hospital yesterday afternoon, after an illness of eight weeks, were taken to the late home of the deceased, two miles southeast of Westminister, this morning. The funeral will be held from Salem church Saturday morning and interment will be made in the Salem cemetery. The deceased was nearly 75 years of age and is survived by four sons. Her husband, James C. Hullinger, died eight years ago.

ATTEND STICKNEY'S AUCTION, 169 E. VINE STREET, SATURDAY, AT 2 P. M. 2-2t

HANGED FOR KILLING A PASSENGER CONDUCTOR.

Greensburg, Pa., Sept. 29.—Jacob Prink was hanged in the county jail today for the murder of W. J. Kelsey, of East Chelero, on November 17, 1903.

Prink boarded a Pennsylvania & Lake Erie train, in a drunken condition and refused to pay his fare, and was ejected at Chelero, the next stop. As the train started, he fired a bullet at the conductor, and which killed Kelsey.



### About Your Eyes.

Of course the object of wearing glasses is to give comfort and use to the eyes. But that is not all. They should look as well on you as possible, help your appearance. We give this part of our work special attention. We keep the latest and best styles and if we do your work you will not only see well but look well. We have the best equipped optical office in western Ohio, and one of the best in the state. Visit us and see.

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Desel Block, north Main St. second block north of square. Phone 1475.

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LUTZ'S BARBER SHOP AND BATH ROOMS For Ladies and Gentlemen. Hot, Cold, Shower and Vapor Baths. Ladies' and Children's Hair Cutting Done to Order. Northeast corner Public Square.

O. M. Ailing, Freeport—Was all run down. Could not eat or sleep. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea made me a well man. 35 cents Tea or Tablets. H. F. Vorkamp, corner Main and North streets.

Let us speak of man as we find him. And censure only what we can see. Remembering that no one can be perfect. Unless he uses Rocky Mountain Tea. H. F. Vorkamp, corner Main and North streets.